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SUBJECT: HYDROPOWER PROJECTS IN MALAYSIA

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EMBASSY HAS FOLLOWING COMMENTS ETC. ON PROJECTS LISTED
REFTEL (COMMENTS KEYED TO SUBPARAS A, B, C, D REFTL)

(A) TEMMENGGOR: FOLLOWING FIRMS INCLUDING 2 U. S. ON LIST
FOR PROJECT (THIS LIST PROVIDED TO EMBASSY IN CONFIDENCE BY
FRIENDLY SOURCE)

NAME OF FIRM/ JOINT VENTURE (J. V.)	COUNTRY OF ORIGIN
COMMONWEALTH CONSTRUCTION/ G. F.	CANADA
ATKINSON J. V.	
CAMPAGNIE DE CONSTRUCTIONS	FRANCE
INTERNATIONALES	
COSTAIN	UNITED KINGDOM
DYCKERHOFF/ GRUN/ KUNZ/ HELD J. V.	WEST GERMANY
ENERGOPROJEKT	YUGOSLAVIA
GUY F. ATKINSON	UNITED STATES
HAZAMA- GUMI	JAPAN
HOCHITEF/ HOLZMAN/ PERNAS J. V.	W. GERMANY/ MALAYSIA
HYUNDAI	KOREA
IMPREGILO/ RECCHI J. V.	ITALY
INGRA	YUGOSLAVIA
KAJIMA	JAPAN

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KOREA DEV/ KONG AH J. V.	KOREA
MANNIX	CANADA
MORRISON- KNUDSEN	UNITED STATES
ITSUI/ NISHIMATSU/ JDC/ UMW J. V.	JAPAN/ MALAYSIA
OHYASHI/ AOKI J. V.	JAPAN
RET- SEA	KOREA
STRABAG	W. GERMANY
THIESS/ PETROSEA J. V.	AUSTRALIA/ MALAYSIA
VIANINI	ITALY
IMPRESA ASTALDI ESTERO	ITALY
JANIN- FOUNDATION J. V.	CANADA
PITTS	CANADA
SKANSKA CIMENTGJUTENIET	SWEDEN
TAISEI	JAPAN

GOM MINFIN OFFICIALS NOTED PRIVATELY THAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO SEE THIS PROJECT GO TO US FIRM. IS EXIMBANK PREPARED TO OFFER FINANCING? CATERPILLAR REP TOLD EMBASSY OFFICER MORRISON/ KNUDSEN FEELS IT ALREADY HAS SUFFICIENT PROJECTS IN THIS AREA AND IS NOW " COOL TOWARD THIS PROJECT."

(B) PAHANG RIVER - CONTRACT FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY SIGNED FEBRUARY WITH USSR COMMERCIAL AGENCY, TECHNOPROMEXPORT, FOR HYDRO- ELECTRIC DAM IN PAHANG. PROJECT KNOWN AS TEMBEL- ING HYDRO ELECTRIC DAM. SOVIET TECHNICIANS DUE TO ARRIVE APRIL TO CONDUCT DETAILED STUDY. TECHNOPROMEXPORT PRE- SIDENT, ALEXANDER S. MAKLAKOV, STATED AT SIGNING CEREMONY HIS ORGANIZATION " READY AND KEEN TO UNDERTAKE CONSTRUCTION OF DAM." GOM PRIME MINISTER, HOWEVER, ANNOUNCED THAT INER- NATIONAL TENDERS WILL BE CALLED FOR CONSTRUCTION OF DAM AND POWER STATION. GENERAL MANAGER NATIONAL ELECTRICITY BOARD SAID BOARD NOW STUDYING POSSIBILITY OF IMPLEMENTING ANOTHER HYDRO SCHEME AT SUNGAI TEMBELING IN PAHANG.

(C) AND (D) PADAS GORGE AND PANDAS BELIEVED TO BE SAME PROJECT. NO INFORMATION HERE ON A " PANDAS" PROJECT. ADB ASSISTANCE IS FOR PROJECT ON PADAS RIVER KNOWN AS TENOM- PANGI HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT. JAPANESE FIRM, NIPPON- KOEI (SP), DOING INITIAL STUDY, EXPECTED TO BE COMPLETED SEPTEMBER OR OCTOBER THIS YEAR.

COMMENT: THESE PROJECTS, WHETHER OR NOT CONTRACT AWARDED TO LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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US FIRM, OPEN OPPORTUNITY FOR LARGE SALES US CONSTRUCTION

EQUIPMENT. CATERPILLAR BELIEVED WELL INFORMED ON PROJECTS
BUT OTHER US SUPPLIERS MAY BE INTERESTED. DECLAS 5/31/73.
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